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City of San Diego Invites Young and Old to Enjoy Holiday-Themed Events at Local Recreation Centers

ACTIVITIES HAPPENING AT MULTIPLE LOCATIONS; FAMILIES CAN ENJOY SNOW, SANTA, LIVE MUSIC AND MORE

SAN DIEGO – The City of San Diego is bringing holiday cheer to San Diegans with a variety of festive winter-themed events at <u>recreation centers</u> across the City during the month of December.

Adults and children are invited to participate in the holiday activities. Whether it's meeting Santa Claus, playing in the snow, watching a festive movie, enjoying live music or participating in holiday arts and crafts, it's sure to be a "fa-la-la" fantastic time for the entire family.

"December is a month filled with joy and laughter; it's a time to celebrate the holiday season with loved ones," said Andy Field, Director of the City's Parks and Recreation Department. "Each year, it is a priority that the Parks and Recreation Department provides various holiday events at our local recreation centers for all San Diegans to enjoy. We are excited to continue helping families and youth embrace the holiday spirit and make long-lasting memories."

Holiday events are free to attend and are happening in neighborhoods throughout the City. Highlighted events include:

- Winter Wonderland at <u>Montgomery-Waller Recreation Center</u> on Saturday, Dec. 10, 10 a.m. 3 p.m.
- Cookies with Santa at <u>Colonel Irving Salomon San Ysidro Community Activity Center</u> on Wednesday, Dec. 14, 5:30 7:30 p.m.
- Dinner with Santa at <u>Silver Wing Recreation Center</u> on Friday, Dec. 16, 5 8 p.m.
- Santa Comes to Town at <u>Golden Hill Recreation Center</u> on Sunday, Dec. 18, 10 a.m. noon.
- Winter Festival at <u>Southcrest Recreation Center</u> on Wednesday, Dec. 21, 4:30 8 p.m.
- Winter Cookie Decorating at <u>Pacific Highlands Ranch Recreation Center</u> on Friday, Dec. 23, 9:30 11:30 a.m.

A full list of upcoming Parks and Recreation holiday events is available on the City's recreation center <u>webpage</u>. Residents can also visit their local recreation center for more information.

The City of San Diego Parks and Recreation Department manages 60 recreation centers, 14 pools, seven skate parks and other recreational facilities that serve both residents and visitors of all ages. For additional information regarding the recreation center's program guides and more, visit <u>sandiego.gov/parks-and-recreation</u>.